

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Junichi TAMAMOTO et al.
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

MS: AF

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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In the matter of the above-identified application, applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the first month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed January 8, 2009.

The statutory fee in the amount of \$130.00 is being electronically submitted to cover the fee required for the requested extension of time.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135
(Case No. 500.43486X00).

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